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LOCAL JOTTINGS

This weather would be all right if it was not for the one day of bad weather each week. It takes the good weather of the other six days to dry the grain

Messrs Schultz Bros. unloaded and put to work this week a new Runley Oil Pull engine and set of ten plows

Mr John Elliott, of Nightingale ready-made-farm colony, has for the second consecutive year won the Sir Thos. Shaughnessy cup for the best evidence of ability in agriculture to the colony. Another win for Mr Elliott will place him in permanent possession of the trophy

The marriage of Mr L. D. Nesbitt of Brooks, Alta., and Miss Gail Amelia Huffman, of Langdon, Alta., was solemnized at the Glen Doris Ranch, Langdon, the home of the bride, on Wednesday last, in presence of a large number of intimate friends. Mr Nesbitt is the editor of the Brooks Bulletin, while the father of the bride is also a well-known newspaper man, who forsook the pen for the plowshare several years ago. Mr Nesbitt and his bride will be extended the good wishes of their many journalistic and other friends

The marriage of Miss Cornelia Hammers to Mr Peter Gerrits, recorded in our last issue, took place in Sacred Heart R.C. Church, and St. Michaels, as stated

Mrs E. W. Sprague, former postmistress here, has removed from Salt Lake City, where she has been resident since leaving Strathmore, to Burley, Idaho. Mrs Sprague still keeps an interest in Strathmore, and states that she enjoys the Standard, and does not wish to miss one copy

Messrs Worthington & Son, Lakeside Farm, report that they have had a splendid patch of Marquis wheat, out of which 400 sheaves have been purchased by the C.P.R. for exhibition purposes. Part of it will be included in the Strathmore Exhibit at Lethbridge. The purchaser informed them that it was the finest grain he had seen in the three provinces. They have also splendid results from Victor Oats and Premont Flax, all early matured in fine form

The ninth annual Alberta Provincial Fair Stock Show will be held in Calgary from November 27 to 29

The annual convention of the teachers of the High River, Oids, and Calgary districts will be held in Calgary on Thursday and Friday, October 24 and 25. Besides the discussion of important school topics, the convention will be addressed by Dr Dyde of Robertson College, Edmonton, Dr Braininville of Calgary University, and T. B. Kidner, director of Technical Education, Calgary

Mr W. E. Mercer has, in partnership with Mr H. Williams, opened up a ladies' tailoring establishment in Calgary

We regret to hear that Mr Wells had to go to Calgary Hospital on Thursday

Mr S. H. Montgomerie arrived here yesterday on a visit to his farm west of town

Mr Burrows, of Grand Forks N.D., is here at present looking after the threshing of his crop

Mr F. J. Harrell had the misfortune to lose on 6th inst. his fine Suffolk Punch stallion, which took ill on that date and died, despite all that could be done for it. The stallion was a magnificent specimen of his type, and winner of a number of valuable trophies, including the championship of the Dominion in its class, which it won at Regina last year. Only a short time ago Mr Harrell received an offer of \$5000 for it. The loss of this valuable breeder will be felt by stockraisers in this district as well as by its owner

Several cars of lumber for the plank sidewalks arrived this week and work has been commenced on the laying down of them

A daughter was born to Mr and Mrs A. R. Laidlaw early this morning

The Bourgeois Orchestra will hold the third of the series of dances being promoted by them on October 29

Book your tickets for the Chicago Ladies Metropolitan Orchestra on October 28 in the Opera House, under the auspices of the Methodist Ladies Aid

With the large amount of capital invested in their Demonstration Farm, it would pay the C.P.R. officials to install a force pump from the artificial lake adjoining the farm for use in case of fire. There are several gasoline engines on the farm, and the cost of installing a force pump system would be slight compared with the protection assured. At the small fire on Tuesday the water supply available was very small

Very successful services were held last Sunday morning and evening at St. Michael's Anglican Church. The decorations of the church were in fitting harmony with the special hymns and anthems. The building was crowded at the evening service. The decorations are remaining up for a few days

Mrs R. A. Anderson and little daughter returned the latter part of last week from three months' visit with relatives in eastern Canada.

Weather Delays Threshing

OVER FORTY PER CENT. THRESHED

The weather of the past few weeks has been of a very tantalizing nature. While six days of the week have been fine, the seventh day in each week has been the occasion of a down of snow, not very heavy, but sufficient to tie up threshing for several days. Tuesday of last week snow fell, but with sunny weather following farmers were able to commence threshing again on Monday morning, and it was continued without interruption till Thursday noon, when snow again commenced to fall, and will probably tie up threshing till the beginning of next week, if there is dry weather in the intervening period

There are about twenty-five machines at present working in this district, and it is estimated that about forty per cent. of the crop has been threshed. Three weeks of dry weather would see the great bulk of the threshing completed. The variable weather has also had its effect on the marketing of grain by making the roads heavy, and this is particularly the case to the south, where road improvement work is in progress, and the main road south is at present soft and muddy

Up to date about 33,000 bushels have been brought into the local elevators, or shipped direct to the cars. At Cheadle and Namaka the receipts have been somewhat similar

Nightingale and Tudor have also shipped considerable quantities. Though reports are coming in slowly, it is evident that the yield and quality of the grain is going to be good. Several crops of 40 bushels to the acre and over of wheat have been reported, and out yields of from 80 to 110 bushels of oats per acre have also been recorded. Better yields run from 25 to 30 bushels per acre and flax 10 to 15. There are some cases where farmers from one reason or another, have not garnered as good a crop as they had hoped for, but the general run is very good. A number of farmers have got their grain stacked, but labor has not been plentiful enough to allow of this being done all over, and the weather has prevented the grain from drying fast enough to enable stacking to be carried on all the time

All that the farmers ask for now is a few weeks dry and not too cold weather, and they will be able to get their crop threshed, and their ground plowed and in shape for next year's crop.



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